

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20463

Bob Kjellander, Treasurer Republican National Committee 310 First Street, SE Washington, DC 20003 AUG 1 7 2006

RE: MUR 5525

Dear Mr. Kjellander:

On September 7, 2004, the Republican National Committee and Mike Retzner, in his official capacity as treasurer, were notified that the Federal Election Commission received a complaint alleging certain violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. On December 2, 2004, you were notified of a supplement to this complaint. After considering the circumstances of the matter, the Commission determined on July 19, 2006 to close the file with respect to the Republican National Committee and you, in your official capacity as treasurer.

You are advised that the confidentiality provisions of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) remain in effect, and that this matter is still open with respect to other respondents. The Commission will notify you when the entire file has been closed.

If you have any questions, please contact us at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Peter G. Blumberg

Attorney

Julie McConnell

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